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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

GABRIEL COLOMBIER et al

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Examiner: Edna Wong

For: CONTINUOUS NICKEL PLATING PROCESS FOR AN ALUMINUM  
CONDUCTOR AND CORRESPONDING DEVICE

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement mailed  
October 22, 2003, Applicants elect Claims 1 to 14 and 29  
through 54 directed to a process, without traverse, for  
prosecution in this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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